

IN THE U.S. PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

Willem VAN DIJK et al.

Conf. 9012

Application No. 10/500,390

Group 1655

Filed September 14, 2004

Examiner Catheryne CHEN

NEGATIVELY CHARGED POLYSACCHARIDE
DERIVABLE FROM ALOE VERA

AMENDMENT

May 18, 2009

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Responsive to the Official Action of November 18, 2008,
for which the period for response is extended three months,
please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing
of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 7 of this paper.